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CRIMINAL CASES FLOOD DOCKET

As Federal Court Begins Its Semi-Annual Term Here—May Last Three Weeks

Judge A. M. J. Cochran, District Attorney Sawyer A. Smith, Clerk John W. Menzies, Marshal Roy Williams and deputies and attaches of U. S. court arrived in Richmond Monday about noon to begin what may develop to be the biggest session of federal court held here in many years.

Court began at 2 o'clock with impounding of the grand and petit juries and Judge Cochran immediately got busy with his docket which is so voluminous that it is expected the term may be carried through three weeks, when usually one week suffices to finish here.

Prohibition Director Sam Collins and a number of agents are here as witnesses in several important liquor cases to be tried. Five big cases have been transferred to Richmond from other courts. These involve more than twenty men accused of alleged illicit liquor operations involving well over \$1,000,000, it is claimed. Nine of the defendants are from Lexington and Fayette county.

One of the big cases scheduled for trial is that of Isaac Miller, Louis Kay and W. J. Wilson, Lexington, and John T. McAttee, Harrodsburg, who are charged with conspiracy to illegally remove several thousand cases of whiskey from the Frankfort Distilling Company's plant and the Dowling Brothers distillery at Burgin, Ky., in 1920 and 1921. The government charges that some of the permits on which it is alleged liquor was removed were forged instruments and that others were stolen from the office of the New York dry director.

This case was started at the last term of court at Richmond but was halted and the swearing of the jury set aside when the government introduced testimony that defense attorneys did not know who was to be presented and asked for a special term last spring, but before that time arrived was continued to the fall term of court.

Another case considered of great importance by prohibition authorities is that against Samuel Freedman, Max Morris, Larry Odenthal, Arthur Johnson and Fisher Brothers Transfer Company, all of Covington or Newport.

They are charged with conspiracy to violate the prohibition law thru the alleged removal of some 5,000 cases of whiskey from the Old 76 distillery at Newport on permits claimed by government authorities to be forged or otherwise illegal. Freedman is president of the Old 76 company and Odenthal was superintendent of the distillery at the time of the alleged illegal removals. A number of permits asserted to have been found in the safe of the distillery office, Director Collins says, bore his forged signature.

Six Lexington men are defendants in a matter involving nine men indicted in connection with the alleged theft of about seventy-five barrels of whiskey from the Old Judge distillery near Frankfort early in September. The Lexington men under indictment in connection with the case are Thomas C. Barnes, Andy Settle, Charlie Shelton, Johnnie Hampton, Artie Stewart and William K. Nunnally. Other defendants in this and allied cases are Dave Clark (Cincinnati), Sam Peters, Frankfort, and H. Bixler, of Frankfort. The latter two were guards at the Old Judge distillery and were indicted on a charge of malfeasance in office. All these indictments were returned at the recent term of court at Frankfort and the cases were continued and transferred to Richmond.

The alleged conspiracy case against A. E. (Buck) Brady, L. Howard and R. Morton, Covington, growing out of their arrest and the seizure of 410 gallons of red whiskey and several automobiles following a bloodless battle at Perryville several weeks ago, is also scheduled for

trial at Richmond. The accused men were indicted at Covington. Two unknown men escaped in an automobile and two others abandoned a highpowered roadster and escaped when dry officers punctured the tires with bullets at the time Brady and his companions were arrested.

In an investigation following these arrests it was discovered, officers say, that about 40 barrels of whiskey had been stolen from the Burke Springs distillery in Marion county, officers say. As a result of this investigation G. W. Stone and Beecher W. Pierce, guards at the Burke Springs distillery, and Fred Kaucher, superintendent, were indicted on charges of conspiracy to violate the prohibition law.

BIG LAWYERS HERE FOR FEDERAL COURT

Richmond is entertaining some lawyers of state and national-wide reputation during the present term of federal court.

Most of them are here in connection with defense of a number of men charged with violation of national prohibition laws, and will be heard in action when the various trials come before Judge Cochran.

Perhaps among the most prominent are Judge E. H. Hoore, of Youngstown, Ohio, and Maurice Galvin, of Covington and Cincinnati. The former is a democratic leader of his state and the latter occupies as strong a position in the republican party in Kentucky. Judge Moore was a pre-convention manager for Gov. Cox of Ohio when he won the democratic presidential nomination at San Francisco. At that time Judge Moore capped his reputation as a consummate organizer and a forceful and vigorous leader. Mr. Galvin is credited with being perhaps the most influential and resourceful republican politician in Kentucky.

Among other prominent out-of-town lawyers here for big trials are Attorney Burkamp, of Covington; Bensinger, of Louisville; Judge Riddell and Chester Gouley, of Irvine; Judge G. E. Lilly, of Lexington; Judge D. Gray Falconer, and Harry Miller, of Lexington; J. N. Menefee, Jr., of Stanford; Guy H. Bridge, of Frankfort, former Attorney General Charles H. Morris, of Frankfort; C. C. Bagby, and John W. Rawlings, of Danville.

There is a perfect host of witnesses and defendants here for the court session.

Japs Held Ineligible To Naturalization In U. S.

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Nov. 13.—The supreme court today held the Japanese are not eligible to naturalization in the United States.

FOR RENT—Boarding house, by Madison Drug store, Mrs. Hattie Buchanan, phone 383. 1p

Tragedy



The frightened eyes of this eight-year-old boy had just seen his father, John Andrews, beat his mother to death with a section of an iron bed, according to the story told the Morristown (N. J.) police. The boy is John Andrews, Jr., one of eight children. Andrews denies his son's statement.

1,000 DIE IN QUAKE IN SOUTH AMERICA

(By Associated Press)
Santiago, Nov. 13.—Relief forces for the thousands made homeless by earthquakes throughout Chile early Saturday morning are being mobilized today. The death toll probably will be a thousand and the property loss will run into millions.

Five hundred persons are reported killed at Valparaiso and the districts surrounding the city. Damage from the earthquakes which terrorized the population was heaviest in northern Antofagasta, Antacama and Coquimbo.

FEARFUL OIL FIRE BURNING IN TEXAS

(By Associated Press)
Houston, Texas, Nov. 13.—The most disastrous fire in the 21 years' history of the Gulf Coast oil fields, is raging in the humble sector, 17 miles northeast of here. Three-quarters of a billion barrels of oil are burning in a stiff wind and 2,000,000 more are endangered. The oil, fired by lightning Sunday, the value of the oil now burning is a million dollars or more with a probability the loss may reach three million dollars.

KNOX COUNTY MAN KILLED BY FREIGHT

(By Associated Press)
Barbourville, Nov. 13.—Mrs. John M. Tinsley was killed and her husband seriously injured; his brother, Judge W. W. Tinsley and Mrs. William Tomlinson slightly hurt when a Louisville and Nashville freight train struck their automobile at a grade crossing eight miles south of here. Mrs. Tinsley was a member of the state legislature from Knox county. He was also clerk of the Eddyville prison under Governor Bradley's administration.

MORGAN EVANS ON SOUTHERN DIRECTORS

At a meeting of the directors of the Southern National Bank Saturday, J. Morgan Evans was elected a member of the board to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Joe S. Boggs. The latter is compelled to give much time to his duties as State Highway Engineer at Frankfort, where he is now residing. Mr. Evans is one of the best known livestock men and farmers in the county and friends of the bank feel that his addition to the board lends additional strength to this increasingly popular financial institution.

Can't Find Baird

Louisville, Nov. 13.—Relatives and coast guards continued to search here today for John A. Baird, 60 vice-president of a Louisville wholesale millinery firm, believed drowned in the Ohio River here yesterday. It is indicated a ferry boat capsized the skiff in which Baird was rowing in fog.

Four Die In Hotel Fire

Amory, Miss., Nov. 13.—Four persons including C. F. Altheide, of Evansville, Ind., were burned to death in a hotel fire here today. Altheide was a member of a hardwood firm at Evansville.

Cherry and Rash Appointed

Frankfort, Nov. 13.—H. I. Cherry of Bowling Green, and Senator James Rash of Madisonville, were designated by Governor Morrow to attend the international congress for study of the problems of alcoholism at Toronto next month.

Colored Singers Coming

The world-famous Williams colored singers will be heard at the First Baptist church colored Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. Their program consists of jubilee songs, plantation songs, lullabies, melodies, sacred and classic selections. All the members of the troupe are said to be real artists and it is expected that they will be heard by a large audience. Special seats will be reserved for white people.

15 More Days
Until the penalty goes on your state and county taxes. Pay now and avoid the rush. Elmer Deatherage, Sheriff Madison County.

MADISON HI WINS AT MIDDLESBORO

Richmond Pigskin Artists Defeat Bell County Boys In Tight Game Saturday

Madison High School won her first football victory of the season at Middlesboro Saturday where her eleven defeated Middlesboro Hi by a score of 14 to 13. Madison had a hard fight to win. They were the best except in the third quarter, outplaying Middlesboro all the rest of the way. The winning touchdown was scored in the final period when Ralph Gentry picked up a fumble and sped about 40 yards for a touchdown. Clouse made the extra point by a place kick.

Madison took the lead in the first quarter when she rushed the ball within a yard of the Middlesboro goal. The local boys drove it over but were called back as the quarter ended, the referee claimed, before the play was started. However, on the first play in the second period, Clouse carried the ball over and made a place kick for an additional point. Middlesboro also scored a touchdown in this period. One of their men intercepted a Madison pass and carried it within 21 yards of the line. Two penalties put the ball only a few yards for Madison's line where Middlesboro bucked it over. They failed to make the point after touchdown.

In the third quarter the story was all Middlesboro. They outplayed the locals by a wide margin in this quarter and deserved to score their touchdown which came as the result of repeated thrusts at tackle. After they had crossed the Madison goal for the second time, Middlesboro forward passed their way to their 13th point.

With the beginning of the last quarter, Madison fought hard and scored when they took advantage of a break. The ball was in mid-field when Middlesboro fumbled. It was the quarterback. He had been receiving the ball from the center and passing it to the other backs. Boen broke this up time after time by leaping over the line, tackling the quarterback before he could pass the goal. It was on such a play as this that Middlesboro fumbled. Gentry picked up the ball and ran 40 yards for the winning touchdown. Clouse, thru a perfect place kick, accounted for the point which won the game.

Shirley Clouse was the outstanding star on the Madison team. He carried the ball for good gains all through the game. In the absence of Captain Allman he was acting Captain and Clouse lead the team like a veteran. He also was a deadly tackler. His skill at making good place kicks won the game for the locals. Clouse behind him was Jesse Moberly, who was also a consistent ground gainer. He was given the name of "mankiller" as it seemed that every time a Middlesboro man would hit him someone would have to pick the tackler up. In the line Boen and Bower were good. Boen broke up plays before they could be started and was indirectly responsible for Madison's winning touchdown. Bower, having been shifted to center in the absence of Captain Allman played well throughout.

W. Hough, a coach and his victorious boys arrived here about 3 o'clock Sunday morning and were met at the station by large delegation of students who were enthused by the victory. The Madison student body has given the team wonderful backing this year even though they have had

DANVILLE INTERCEDES FOR YOUNG MURDERER

A dispatch from Danville has a plea for Steve McQueen, 17-year-old boy, sentenced to death for murdering "Uncle Ike" Coyle near Big Hill. The Danville dispatch says:

Danville, Ky., Nov. 13.—Steve McQueen, 17-year-old, convicted in the Rockcastle circuit court of the murder of Isaac Coyle, and said to be the youngest prisoner ever given death sentence in Kentucky, awaits his execution day in the Boyle county jail here, declaring that when the crime was committed he was under the influence of liquor and not altogether responsible.

Unable to read and write, the boy claims he did not know right from wrong as he had never been taught. Raised in a small house located on the Jackson-Rockcastle line, he had very little schooling.

Clemency, on the grounds of the boy's age, will be asked of Governor Morrow by Boyle and Rockcastle people interested in the case.

Convicted in March, McQueen was brought to the jail here. His lawyers appealed the case on the grounds that the youth had been forced to go thru a "sweating process" that is unconstitutional, but the Court of Appeals affirmed the death sentence.

Steps will be taken by his attorneys and friends asking that justice be tempered with mercy and the sentence commuted, it was said today.

McQueen has been a model prisoner, Jailor Timoney said. He has been taught while in jail here to read and write a little. His sentence was the first carrying death as a penalty inflicted in Rockcastle county in many years.

LANCASTER WINS OVER COVINGTON

Lancaster's crack football eleven went up another notch toward the high school championship of the state when it defeated the big Covington Hi team at Lancaster Saturday by 26-6. Although outwitted heavily, the Garrard county boys uncovered a dazzling attack and bewildered speed. Then on defense they their bulky opponents by their speed. Then on defense, they went in and fought like tigers, their light line holding against the battering of the heavy Covington backs like a stone wall. The game was played before an immense crowd, probably 2,500 or 3,000 people witnessing the contest.

The two Robinson boys, "Battle Ax" Cox, Castineau and Kavanaugh were the outstanding stars for Lancaster, though every man on the eleven distinguished himself at times. Cox is a wonder, both on offense and defense.

Byars, of Lexington, was umpire of the game against Covington, and Billy Miller, referee. Their work could not have been improved upon for fairness and efficiency.

Bellamy Storer Dead

(By Associated Press)
Cincinnati, Nov. 13.—Bellamy Storer, attorney and former diplomat of Cincinnati, died in Paris, France last night, according to a cablegram received here today. The circumstances of his death were not stated. Storer was ambassador to Austria Hungary from 1902 to 1906. Previous to that time he was American minister to Belgium. He was 75.

rather hard luck in winning. It is hoped that this game will be a starter and that the Purples will clean up on Clark County Hi here next Friday and Pineville there the following week.

REGULAR MEETING TONIGHT

Richmond Chamber of Commerce, Monday evening,

November 13th, at 7:00 P. M., at the Court House.

Weather Forecast

Showers and colder tonight; Tuesday fair in west and clearing; in east portion colder.

Monday's Livestock Markets

Cincinnati, Nov. 13.—Hogs 7700, heavies, packers and mediums \$8.60; lights and pigs \$8.75; sows \$7.25; stags \$6.50; 3800 cattle steady; calves \$6.00 to \$11.50; sheep \$4.00 to \$6.00; lambs \$5.00; \$9.00 to \$13.50. Chicago 46000, \$8.50, 37,000 cattle.

Louisville, Nov. 13.—Cattle 1800; best strong; others slow. Hogs \$8.75; hogs 2,000, 10c lower; tops \$8.40; sheep, 200, steady \$4.50; lambs \$12.00.

IMPORTANT TIME CHANGES ON L. & N.

New schedules went into effect Sunday on this division of the L. & N. in order to take care of winter traffic to the south. The Southland, through from Chicago to Florida and known as Train 33 will now pass Richmond at 10:16 each morning instead of 11:25. The accommodation train south, will be known as Train 35 and it will arrive from Cincinnati at 12:24 P. M. and leave here at 12:29.

From Louisville via Stanford and Lancaster Train 28 will arrive an hour later, coming in at will arrive at 1:25 p.m. and leave here at 1:45 P. M. Train 36, from Knoxville to Cincinnati will arrive at 1:25 and leave here at 1:30 northward. Train 32 from the South to Cincinnati and on will arrive at 5:40 p. m.

On the Ravenna and Frankfort division, Train 11 will arrive from Frankfort and Louisville at 12:14 and leave for Ravenna and eastern Kentucky at 12:27. Train 14 from Ravenna and eastern Kentucky will arrive at 1:20 p. m. and leave for Frankfort at 1:30 p. m.

Danville Couldn't Make It

The Danville high school football team essayed to play two games in two days last week but couldn't win 'em both. They defeated Lexington Model Hi 23 to 6 Friday and then to Pineville Saturday and got badly beaten.

U. D. C. To Meet

(By Associated Press)
Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 13.—Six hundred delegates representing local chapters in every state in the Union have indicated their intention of attending the twenty-ninth convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy to be held here November 14-18.

FOR RENT—Five room cottage on Lower Walnut street. Phone 872. 269 2p

Pastor at Work



Not content with digging up funds for the new Fifteenth Street Christian Church, Washington, D. C., the pastor, Rev. J. N. Jarrett and his congregation intend to complete the digging for the foundation before turning the work over to the contractor. Rev. Jarrett is shown wielding a shovel.

TOBACCO SHOWS 37 PER CENT INCREASE

For 1922 Over 1921 Crop, According To Government Figures Out Today

Kentucky's total production of tobacco, of all types, in 1922, is estimated at 446,400,000 pounds in the November crop report for Kentucky issued today by the Louisville office of the United States Bureau of Agricultural Economics in connection with State Commissioner of Agriculture W. C. Hanna. This is about 37 per cent increase over the 325,710,000 pounds produced in Kentucky in 1921 but only about 96 per cent of the state's average annual production of 467,000,000 pounds from 1916 to 1920, both inclusive. Both burley and dark types show a sharp increase, being greater in Kentucky this year compared to 1921, the per cent of increase being greater in the dark districts than in the burley district. The average yield per acre this year in Kentucky, including all types of tobacco, is 890 pounds, as compared to 846 pounds in 1921 and the 10 year average of 852 pounds per acre. The United States entire tobacco crop, of all types, is estimated at 1,330,375,000 pounds this season compared to 1,075,418,000 pounds in 1921 and an average annual production of 1,377,866,000 pounds 1916-20 inclusive. Quality of tobacco in Kentucky is reported as 88 per cent this season as compared to 84 per cent in 1921, while the quality of the United States' total crop is 84.3 per cent this season compared to 79.7 per cent last year.

The Kentucky corn crop this season is estimated at 90,748,000 bushels compared to 82,150,000 bushels last year and an average annual production of 97,152,000 bushels 1916-20 inclusive while this year's Irish potato crop in Kentucky is estimated at 4,720,000 bushels, or 25 per cent more than the 3,770,000 bushels produced in this state in 1921. Other crops reported for Kentucky are: Sweet potatoes 1,818,000 bushels; apples 5,070,000 bushels; pears 150,000 bushels; clover seed 46,000 bushels; sorghum sirup 3,984,000 gallons. In 1921 Kentucky's production of these crops was: Sweet potatoes 1,872,000 bushels; apples 630,000 bushels; pears 4,000 bushels; clover seed 34,000 bushels and sorghum sirup 4,080,000 gallons.

It is estimated that approximately 5 per cent of Kentucky's acreage of corn this season was put into silos, the average yield per acre being only about 5.5 tons. About 83 per cent of this season's corn crop in Kentucky is reported as being merchantable, and farmers also report they have only 6 per cent of last year's Kentucky corn crop still on farms. The average yield of corn per acre this year in Kentucky is 28 bushels, compared to 25.6 bushels per acre last year and a 10 year average of 23 bushels.

CALIFORNIA VOTES DRY

Again California has provided the election surprise of the nation. Believed a stronghold of the wets, the state has passed the dry column, giving the prohibition forces their greatest victory of the recent election. By a referendum the people of the state have voted in favor of a State prohibition enforcement law, which patterned after the Volstead act, is claimed by the wets to be even more strict in its provisions. On the face of returns from half the state the measure appeared to be doomed to a two to one defeat. But the early returns were from the northern part of the state where San Francisco recorded a 60,000 wet majority.

Sells Nice Little Home
Manager L. W. Dunbar of the Freeman Realty Company, reports the sale of a nice little home on Boggs' Lane for J. S. Holbrook, of Seco, to Wm. Bowles, of this county. The price paid was \$4,000 and possession will be given January 1st next. There are three acres in the tract.